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fresh and healthy glow in the most sallow
countenance. Those who participate in
these luxuries improve their disposition and
memory.

June 6.]

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For sale at Stacy's variety store, cor-
ner of Thames & Frank streets.

POETRY.

The Dying Christian.

How peaceful is the closing scene,
When virtue yields its breath—
How sweetly beams the smile serene,
Upon the cheek of death.

The Christian's home is in the light,
No pain his agonizing soul;
He views his life with calm delight,
A pure and holy soul.
Oh, who can gaze upon his face,
On scene so fair and true,
Who but exclaims, "thine is the place,
And be my end like his!"

Lines to a Beautiful Lady.

I prize not beauty, unadorned
By intellectual graces;
I see no fascinating charms
In merely pretty faces;
A lovely form and countenance,
A graceful step and air,
Would never steal my heart from me,
If mind were wanting there.
To beauty, valueless alone,
A magic power is lent
By goodness, intellect and taste;
It seems by nature meant
To give a charm to mortal worth,
And add a grace to mind;
Lady thou art her favorite,
In thee they are combined.

Agricultural.

DEAD ANIMALS.

Animal matter contains every ele-
ment that is necessary to grow every
plant known. In it are phosphate and
carbonate of lime, ammonia, carbon,
in short, in the best form, all the essen-
tials of vegetable growth. Whenever
a fowl, cat, dog, sheep, pig, horse or
cow dies, let the carcass be cut up, and
added to the manure heap. The
carcass of a single horse will turn
loads of useless muck or peat into ma-
nure, richer than any ordinary barn
yard dung. Why then suffer it to de-
cay uselessly and annoyingly? It is
true it is not lost, for the gases that
taint the air are appropriated by plants;
but the farmer who owned the animal,
gets but a small portion of what should
be all his own. Why will he waste
the dead energies of the horse, when
he has lost the living ones?

If our readers will heed what we
say, they will not suffer dead animals
to annoy the eye and disgust the nose
hereafter. Bury them in the manure
heap; add some quick lime to hasten
decay, and charcoal dust or plaster to
absorb the gases, and much will be
gained in the good appearance of the
farm and in the quality of the manure.
If your neighbor be so improvident as
to waste a dead animal, beg of him,
that it may not be detrimental to health
and useless to vegetation. Laws should
be passed to compel the saving of the
most powerful of fertilizers, when com-
mon sense and decency fail to do it.

Whenever it is desirable to hasten de-
cay, and rapidly turn animal matter into
manure, sulphuric acid may be used.
This would be too expensive (although
the acid is cheap) for farm purposes,
but may be employed for the garden,
where expense is not so important. It
is frequently desirable to have a rich
manure in the garden, and it is not at
hand. Animal matter put into sul-
phuric acid will in a few hours furnish
it. Every house will supply much re-
fuse animal matter. To this, rats, mice
feathers, hair, bones, horns, &c. may
be added. If the garbage of a slaugh-
ter house can be got it should be. All
these will soon be reduced to an availa-
ble state, be inoffensive, and add
great fertility to the soil where used.
The requisite quantity of acid may be
ascertained by experiment—about 10
or 15 lbs. of animal matter.

American Agriculturist.

From the Boston Courier, Monday, June 15.

Wool.—The demand for pulled and fleece
Wool during the past week has been fair,
without any material change in prices. The
stock of old wool in market is not large, and
is daily diminishing; manufacturers buy only
sufficient for their immediate wants. Wool
of the new clip will not be ready for sale in
this market under three or four weeks. We
learn from various sections of the country
that the growers are slow to sell at the
prices offered, and it is probable that the Wool
will come to market late this season.

PRICES OF WOOL.—Prime Saxony
Fleeces, washed, 35 a 40; American full blood
do 35 a 37; do 3 4 do 30 a 32; do 1 2 do 28 a
30; do 1 4 & common do 25 a 28; Superior
Northern pulled lambs 32 a 33; No. 1 do do
do 27 a 30; No. 2 do do do 13 a 20; No. 3 do
do 14 a 16.

A WEDDING AT SEA.

A correspondent of the New England
Review gives the following sketch of an
interesting scene which occurred on
board the ship in which he sailed from
America:

"A novel circumstance took place,
while on our passage, which I must re-
late. There was a Mr. H— on board
who was formerly a merchant in Mas-
sachusetts, since in Connecticut, and late
of New York. He was a kind open-
hearted fellow, full of fun, and withal
very intelligent as well as handsome.—
His age was twenty-seven. He came
on board an entire stranger to us all, but
as we made it a point to have but one
family on board, and as we discovered
his amiable qualities he soon made a wel-
come member. On our sixth day he
came to me, and inquired the name and
circumstances of an elderly gentleman
passenger, who was accompanied by his
daughter, with whom Mr. H. seemed
deeply smitten. For my own part I
could see nothing exceedingly attractive
about Miss J., save that she was very a-
greeable in her manners, and highly intel-
ligent. I informed him, at his request,
gave a formal introduction, which termi-
nated in the following manner: Soon af-
ter the introduction, it became evident that
a mutual liking and affection existed
between Mr. H. and Miss J., who
from their open expressions of fondness
began to attract the attention of all, and
the admiration of many of the passen-
gers. They were frequently observed in
their close conversation, and a game of
whist was scarcely ever played in which
they were not partners. On the second
Sunday of our passage, we solicited the
Rev. Mr. G. who was on his way to
Italy, to preach a sermon. By the politeness
of the Captain, a large awning
was spread over us, seats were prepared,
and a congregation of 76 persons, includ-
ing the steerage passengers and sailors,
was collected to participate in the reli-
gious exercises. A small desk was
formed into a pulpit, and a choir was
formed by 'going into a committee of
the whole.' The text was read and the
sermon delivered, of which I need not
speak. At the conclusion of the sermon,
our minister rose and read the following
card, which lay on the desk, 'William
Bentley H., Esq., of New York, intends
marriage with Miss Maria Louisa J.'

We were more surprised at the novelty
of the thing than the fact itself, and
indeed, such was the feeling created by
the sudden and unexpected announce-
ment made, that we all forgot the serious
impressions made on our minds by the
minister, in our hearty and vociferous
congratulations of the happy pair. But
it did not end here. A proposition was
made to the parties to have the affair
consummated that evening, which was
cheerfully acceded to by them, to the
great pleasure of all on board. Accord-
ingly, things were arranged in order, the
best state room given up to them, and
every one felt gay and happy as the hour
approached which should witness the
consummating of their nuptial vows.—
The evening was calm and delightful,
not a sail fluttered in the breeze, not a
voice was heard, nor the least stir or
bustle about the deck, and the moon
looked down in loveliness on that tran-
quil scene. At nine, every soul gathered
at the temple which had been erected
for religious worship, and in less than fifteen
minutes the marriage ceremony was
performed by our worthy minister, who
made a few remarks and closed with
prayer. The scene was truly as sublime
as romantic. The fair bride came out,
dressed in a robe of pure white satin
leaning on the arm of her lover bound to
the altar, and heard her marriage vow
pronounced where only an hour or two
before, she had uttered her vows to God.
Many a tear of joy stole down the cheeks
of those who looked on, and not a care
cast the shadow of its wing across that
scene of triumph, love and bliss. The
novelty of this affair had thrown us all
into an excitement, and nothing was to
be talked of but wedding parties, mar-
riage at sea, love, honeymoons, &c. &c.,
and I was at times half tempted to make
a similar proposition myself to the queen
like Miss C., if for nothing else but the
purpose of having the joke pass round.

WAR'S VICTIM.—Not far from St.
Sever, there is living an old military
man, who has a false leg and a false arm,
both useable by means of springs, a glass
eye, a complete set of false teeth, a nose
of silver, covered with a substance per-
fectly resembling flesh, and a silver plate
replacing part of the skull. He walks
about with a martial air, bearing on his
breast the Cross of the Legion of Honor,
won, together with his mutilation, by
deeds of arms, in campaigns of Egypt,
Italy and Russia; at Friedland, Jena,
Austerlitz, Wagram and Waterloo; and
which was conferred upon him by the
hands of Napoleon on the 2d day of
May, 1813, on the field of battle of
Lutzen.

DISCOVERY OF WINE.—Sir J. Mal-

colm, in his history of Persia, states that
wine was first discovered by Jemshedd,
one of the earliest monarchs of the em-
pire, by the following accident:—He
was immoderately fond of grapes, and
desired to preserve some, which were
placed in a large vessel, and lodged in a
vault for future purpose. When the
vessel was opened the grapes had fer-
mented, the juice was so acid that the
king believed it must be poisonous; he
had some bottles filled with it, and poison
written upon each; these were placed in
his room. It happened that one of his
favorite ladies was affected with nervous
head ache; the pain distracted her so
much that she desired death; observing
a bottle with poison written upon it, she
took it and swallowed its contents. The
wine, for such it had become, overpow-
ered the lady, who fell into a sound sleep,
and awoke much refreshed. Delighted
with the remedy, she repeated the doses
so often that the king's poison was all
drunk. He soon discovered this, and
forced the lady to confess what she had
done. A quantity of wine was made,
and Jemshedd and all his court drank of
this new beverage, which, from the man-
ner of its discovery, is to this day known
in Persia by the name of zher-e khoush,
or the delightful poison.

HUMBLE LIFE.—There is happiness
in humble life—who can doubt it? The
man owns but a few acres of land and
raises an abundance to supply the neces-
sary wants of his family—can ask for
no more. If he is satisfied with his con-
dition—and there are thousands so situa-
ted who are—no man is more happy.—
No political movement disturbs his repose
—no speculating mania chases the calm
serenity from his mind—no schemes in
the church throw shadows beneath his
golden sky. His family is the world to
him; his little lot is all his care. Who
sighs not for such a life of calmness and
serenity? Amid the cares and anxieties
of business, who would not exchange
his prospects and his honors for the re-
pose of him who is contented and happy
on his spot of ground, far from the noise
and bustle of city life? If there is a
situation congenial to the true spirit of
man and the growth of virtue, it is amid
the recesses of nature—in the calm re-
tirement of rural life.

DANGEROUS SPORT.—On Tuesday even-
ing a young woman residing in Brooklyn
and who is named as a Miss Serichman,
dressed in male attire and thus apparelled
visited this city with her cousin a Mr.
Fuller. By some means the police of-
ficers here discovered the trick, and took
her and her companion into custody.—
Seeing in what a position her indiscreet
conduct had placed her, the poor girl be-
came alarmed and begged to be sent
home. Two officers were therefore dis-
patched on the business of seeing her safe
home. She was about sixteen years of
age, rather pretty and dressed in a natty
black frock coat, pantaloons and a cloth
cap and gutter boots, and carried a fash-
ionable little cane. She said she merely
dressed up for "a little fun." She lives
with her mother in Brooklyn.

GREEN MOUNTAIN BOYS.—Major Brown,
whose death while in command of the
fort opposite to Matamoros, is so deeply
regretted, was a native of Bennington,
Vt., and joined the army there, as a
common soldier, during the last war with
England. He has, of course, risen by
his own merit. He, like Major Ringgold,
left no widow or children to mourn for
him. The nation are their mourners.—
Capt. Scott and Capt. Dimmock are also
from Bennington. Capt. Scott was al-
ways famous as a marksman, and before
entering the army made it his sport to
throw an apple into the air, and then
pierce it with a rifle ball before it reach-
ed the ground. His celebrity as a shot
was such, that the Vermonters got up
this fable. They say that once, when
he was hunting, he espied a racoon, and,
lifting his gun, was about to fire, when
the coon called out. "Is your name
Scott?" "Yes," was the reply. "You
needn't fire then," said the coon, "for I
will come right down."

Dimmock was in the Florida war, and
when riding between two teams, at some
distance from both, he was fired on by
two Indians, and his horse killed under
him. The Indians then rushed upon him,
but before they reached him he shot them
both.

Real friends are wont to visit us in
our prosperity only when invited; but
in adversity to come of their own ac-
cord.

Good lessons are of great service in
forming character, but good examples
are of much greater service.

One or more guinea-hens in a flock
of fowls it is said, will effectually pre-
vent molestation from hawks.

Late Foreign Intelligence.

Arrival of the Great Western.

11 Days Later from ENGLAND.
The steamer Great Western, Capt.
Mathews, arrived at New York a little
after nine o'clock on the 19th inst., af-
ter a voyage of sixteen days. She sailed from
30th of May—thus being in the
in sixteen days. Re-
Liverpool and Cont-

From the N. Y. Cour. & Eccl.
Another Royal Princess was born on
Monday the 25th of May. The event
was of course made the occasion of uni-
versal rejoicing, and a form of thanksgiv-
ing, by direction of the Council, was
drawn up by the Archbishop of Canter-
bury. The Queen is now 27 years of
age, and has five children.

A fact of more importance and interest
in this country, is the passage, to its
second reading, in the House of Lords,
of the new Corn Bill by a majority of
47. Upon its first introduction on the
18th, the Duke of Wellington moved its
first reading, which was opposed by the
Duke of Richmond in a very violent at-
tack upon Sir Robert Peel. The second
reading on the 25th, was moved by the
Earl of Ripon. The vote stood 211 to
164.

Mr Smith O'Brien has been discharged
by the House of Commons from his im-
prisonment.

The Mexican proposition for placing
their debt to English bondholders, of
which the outline was received by the
last steamer, was negatived and a new
one is expected.

It is said that the King and Queen of
France intend to pay a visit to Queen
Victoria during the month of July.

A collision occurred on the 25th, in
the Mersey, between the Rambler steam-
er and the Sea Nymph, by which 21
lives were lost.

Prince Louis Bonaparte has effected
his escape from the fortress of Ham, in
which he has been imprisoned for several
years. He evaded the vigilance of the
sentries in the dress of a laborer, and
is believed to be in London. It is said
that he intends to join his aged and
invalid father at Florence.

News of the capture of Col. Thorn-
ton's command by the Mexicans reached
England by the Cambria. The event is
very generally regarded with exultation
by the press, which will probably be very
much modified by the intelligence of the
events which followed. The proclama-
tion of war, and the war bill, had also
been received.

Gen. Armstrong, U. S. Consul, at Liv-
erpool, has left his post on a visit to this
country.

An order had been given by the Col-
onial Land and Emigration Co. that
vessels intended to take emigrants should
be examined as to their seaworthiness.

"That all vessels which were not reg-
istered at Lloyd's, or which being reg-
istered and classed lower than the second
description of the first class, should not
be considered eligible by the Govern-
ment Emigration Agents for the convey-
ance of passengers, without having been
first subjected to an examination by
Lloyd's surveyor."

The Surveyor, under this order, re-
fused to pass American vessels unless
they complied with Lloyd's rules, and
several New York packets were denied
the privilege of taking passengers.—
Through the representation of Gen. Arm-
strong other surveyors have been ap-
pointed, under instructions that the sea-
worthiness of the ship is the only point to
be considered.

The overland mail from India and Chi-
na arrived on the 20th, with dates from
China to March 29th. There was but
little intelligence of interest, the British
mandar-in-chief, like the British
eral, has quitted the Punjab, and the
ish garrison remains in the city.

The new cantonments at Peshawar
ranged in the Jullunder hills, and
garrisons assigned to them.

The people in the Western
beginning to suffer from scarcity, mainly
brought about by the deficiencies of last
season's rains. Cholera was spreading
amongst the natives. India generally
was quiet. Some failures of European
houses connected with Bombay have
occurred. The weather is unusually
cool for the middle of April.

The London Observer mentions that
notice had been received from the Presi-
dent of the termination of the Oregon
Convention, and adds some particulars
concerning the despatch of a military
force to the Hudson's Bay Company, of
which mention was made in the advices
by the last steamer. It states that the
troops were sent out in conformity with
the desire of the Company, who had
notified the government of their disposi-
tion and ability to maintain their ground,
with a trifling support from home. The
detachments were destined for Fort Guer-

rier, a settlement west of the Rocky
Mountains, around which is a population
of five to six thousand hunters, trained
from their childhood to the use of the
rifle. The Observer remarks that Fort
Guerrier would thus form an advanced
base from which, in the event of hosili-
ties, a point with a numerous and highly
efficient force will be made on the Ameri-
can territory. The guns are to be carri-
ed on the shoulders of thirty or sixteen
men to each gun, according to their
weight or the difficulties of the ground;
when possible, will be drawn upon
two wheels, with very short axle. The
Board of Ordnance has ordered that the
men shall be allowed to draw an extra
sum for winter clothing, as is usual with
troops serving in Canada.

From France there is little news.—
Several riots have taken place at Elbeuf,
a manufacturing town on the Seine.—
The pretext for these disorders was the
establishment of a carding-machine in a
factory belonging to a M. Aroux. In the
course of the disturbances, nearly the
whole of the National Guard and
gendarmie employed to suppress them,
and who amounted to 150 men, were
more or less grievously wounded by
stones and other missiles thrown by the
rioters, and it was not until a reinforce-
ment of 400 or 500 troops of the line had
arrived from Rouen that order was re-
stored.

A splendid review of troops of the
regular army by the King took place in
the Champ de Mars, at Paris, in compli-
ment to Ibrahim Pasha. The infantry
on the ground were said to amount to
25,000 men; the cavalry to 10,000, with
40 pieces of cannon. "The whole,"
says a letter, "formed one of the most
imposing military spectacles of modern
times."

This outline embraces, we believe, all
the intelligence of any interest.

SEWING MACHINE.—The National
Intelligencer, in an enumeration and
description of the articles exhibited
at the Fair, gives the following notice
of this invention:—

"We saw the Sewing Machine, in-
vented by Mr. Elias Howe, Jr., of
Cambridgeport, Massachusetts, at work,
but we saw it so short a time, and the
evolution was so rapid, that we can give
no account whatever of its *modus oper-*
andi. We brought away, however, a
small piece of its work, which those who
are better able to judge than we are pro-
nounce excellent. We think that if this
machine can continue to work as rapid-
ly as we saw it work (and being nothing
but a machine, of course it can), it ought
to be called the 'Devil among the Tailors,'
for it will certainly bring about a revolu-
tion in the trade."

A BOLD TRAPPER.—Many stories are
told of the feats, of the daring adventures,
and hair-breadth escapes of the "free
mounted trappers," but it may be worth
while to mention one which Richardson,
a Kentucky man, well known to the ser-
vants of the company as one of the most
anxious and dare devil traders of the
mountain, used to tell. It is his boast
that he never carried provisions on his
journey in his most dreary and distant
travels. His good horse, his trusty rifle,
his pistols, his knife, his steel, flint his
traps, a coil of cord, and wallet, are his
only accompaniments, and his only trust
is in Providence. Furnished with these,
I have heard him say he fears nothing
over river, frozen lake, or mountain, or
barren plain. He was out alone, hunt-
ing buffaloes, and at the close of the day
was retiring to his tent, when he heard
a clattering of hoofs behind him, and
upon looking back observed three black
footed Indians well mounted in hot pursuit
of him. He immediately threw off his
cargo of meat, to lighten his horse, and
then urged onward to his utmost speed,
hoping to outstrip his pursuers, but he
discovered that the enemy were gaining
upon him, and would soon have
reached their mercy.

He then adopted an expedient as sin-
gularly ingenious as it is desperately
bold. Drawing his long scalping knife,
he plunged it into the horse's neck, and
severed the spine. The animal dropped
instantly dead, and the determined hun-
ter, throwing himself before the fallen
carcass, prepared to meet his pursuers.
In a moment one of the Indians came
within reach of his rifle, and was shot
through the heart. The other two, seeing
the fate of their companion, halted for a
moment, and then prepared to surround
the enemy; but as the first one had sent
his ball whistling by the ear of Richard-
son, he himself dropped from his horse
by a ball from one of Richardson's long
pistols. The third, seeing this rather a
dangerous game to play whipped his
horse, and was soon out of sight. Rich-
ardson had then only to gather the fruits
of his victory. He caught the two In-
dian horses, mounted one, loaded the
other with the discharged cargo of meat
and returned home with two spare rifles
and a good stock of ammunition.

U. S. Circuit Court.
The U. S. Circuit Court commenced its June term in this town on Monday last at 12 o'clock. After an appropriate prayer by the Rev. Mr. Thayer, Judge Woodbury delivered his charge to the Grand Jury which occupied nearly an hour in its delivery, in which he gave a clear and condensed statement of the various offences cognizant in the United States Courts.

In the afternoon Judge Woodbury, decided on the application of Thomas H. Butterworth for naturalization, that his having filed his intention in the Clerk's office was good and valid, and accordingly ordered the oath to be administered. This decision will overrule that of the Supreme Court of this State, who have decided that the applicant must declare his intention in open Court.

The Grand Jury found several bills of indictment.

The indictment against Eleanor Jerald (an old woman of 75 years of age) for altering a Marriage Certificate for the purpose of procuring a revolutionary pension, was continued to the next term, on an affidavit of her illness.

In the indictment against Ephraim Staley, Joseph Harris and Gideon Manchester, for mutiny in attempting to commit a revolt on board the barque Joseph Brower in the harbor of Providence; the defence was, the vessel was unseaworthy and the jury being out five hours, came into Court and stated that they were unable to agree on a verdict. By consent of Counsel the Jury were discharged and the indictment continued. The Prisoners were released on their personal recognizance of three hundred dollars.

In the indictment against Benjamin Manchester (a boy of 15) for stealing a letter from the Post Office, East Greenwich, the prisoner pleaded guilty and was sentenced to pay a fine of ten dollars and be imprisoned four months in the Newport Jail.

In the case of Macy and others vs. owners of the barque Corinthian, of Bristol, (question of liability) the Jury returned a verdict for the defendants.

In the case of Fearing and others vs. D'Wolf and others a case somewhat similar to the previous one, the Jury found for the plaintiffs.

The Court adjourned yesterday about noon, to its regular term, at Providence in November next.

At a Town Council holden, Newport June 8, 1846.

Daniel C. Denham was appointed an assessor of taxes in the room of Charles Gyles who was elected at the Annual Town Meeting and declined.

INSPECTORS OF NUISANCES.—Horatio G. Taylor and Peleg Kaighn.

STREET COMMISSIONER AND SURVEYOR OF HIGHWAYS.—John Stevens.

SUNDAY CONSTABLES.—Robert Seale for the North district, Charles C. Burdick for the South district, to complain of all violators of the law in relation to the Sabbath.

SURVEYOR OF MASONS WORK.—Joseph Sanford.

SURVEYOR OF LUMBER.—Samuel Brown.

The following is a copy of an Address from the Inhabitants of Newport, in the Isle of Wight, in England, to the inhabitants of this town, received by the Town Council:—

To the inhabitants of Newport, Rhode Island, United States of America.

We the undersigned inhabitants of Newport, in the Isle of Wight, being desirous that Peace and Concord should be preserved and maintained between the United States of America and Great Britain, do hereby address you in the language of that brotherly kindness, which alone ought to be used between men, who although residing in different lands, yet speak the same language, possess the same feelings, and belong to Nations both preeminent in the world, as benefactors of the human race.

We desire to express our regret that the difference of opinion which exists with respect to the Oregon Territory, or that any other cause of dispute which may hereafter arise, should not be submitted to the judgment of disinterested and impartial men, and their decision abided by, instead of having recourse to arms.

It is our belief that the benefits we mutually derive from our friendly and commercial intercourse, are of much greater value and of more importance to both Nations, than the possession by either, of so distant a territory as Oregon; and we consider that no man ought to be esteemed as wise or good, who for such a possession would place these benefits in jeopardy.

We respectfully invite you to co-operate with us in endeavoring to do all that we can in order to preserve inviolate that peace and harmony which ought to exist between such Nations as ours.

Signed,
BENJAMIN MEW,
Mayor of the Borough
And 130 of the Inhabitants

At a Meeting of the Fire Wards, June 18, 1846, the Board was organized as follows:—

Isaac R. Spooner, Chief Engineer.
Henry Bull, 2d do
William Brownell, 3d do

The following named Fire Wards were attached to the several Fire Engines:

- No. 1, Stephen M. Stedmh,
- " 2, William Brownell,
- " 3, John Eldred,
- " 4, Joshua Tripp,
- " 5, Samuel Brown,
- " 6, Joseph Paddock, Jr.,
- " 7, Christopher J. Bliven,

The Board ordered that the portion of the Act of the General Assembly entitled "An Act providing in case of Fire breaking out in the Town of Newport, and for other purposes therein mentioned," which relates to the powers and duties of Fire Wards, be published, which is as follows:—

Sec. 2. And he it further enacted, that the freemen of said town of Newport, shall, on their days for electing town officers, nominate and elect a number of persons, of known fidelity, in the several parts of the town, as they may think fit, who shall be nominated and called firewards, and have a proper badge assigned to distinguish them in their offices, to wit: a speaking trumpet painted red; and at the times of breaking forth of fire, and during the continuance thereof, they shall have full power and authority to command and require assistance for the extinction and putting out of the same, and for removing household furniture, goods and merchandise, out of any dwelling-house, store or other building actually on fire, or in danger thereof, and to appoint proper guards to take care of and secure the same, as also to require and command assistance for the putting down or blowing up of any house or houses, and performing all and every service relating thereto, to stop and prevent the further spreading of the fire, and to suppress all tumults and disorders; and said firewards from time to time appointed as aforesaid, are required, upon notice of the breaking forth of fire, to take each one his badge, and repair immediately to the place, and vigorously exert their authority for obtaining assistance, and to use their utmost endeavors to extinguish or prevent the spreading of the fire, and to preserve and secure the estates of the inhabitants; and due obedience is required to be yielded to them and each of them accordingly in said service; and all disobedience, neglect or refusal in any person, shall be deemed to be one of the offences of the peace of said town, within two days next after; and the offender upon conviction thereof by the oath of one or more of the firewards, or other due proof made before any two of said justices, shall forfeit and pay as a fine, the sum of six dollars and sixty cents, to be levied by a warrant of distress, and when collected to be distributed at the discretion of the town council of Newport among such poor persons as were most distressed by the fire; and in case such offender or offenders shall be unable to pay the same, they shall be committed to jail, there to remain ten days.

YEARLY MEETING OF FRIENDS.—The yearly meeting of Friends in New England, which commenced in this town on Saturday morning last, and continued by adjournments from day to day, were brought to a close yesterday afternoon.

The difficulties that took place in the Society at the meeting last year, and which led to an open rupture, we regret to say still continues; there were two bodies in session during the whole week, both claiming to be the New England Meeting of Friends. The majority of the denomination met at their usual place, and the other body occupied the Clarke st. Meeting House.

DEATH OF HON. HENRY MIDDLETON.—We regret to have to announce the death of the Hon. Henry Middleton, which took place at Charleston, S. C. on the 13th inst, in the 76th year of his age.

Mr. Middleton for many years occupied a conspicuous position as a political man, having filled some of the highest offices of the gift of the people. In 1810 he was elected Governor of South Carolina, and in 1814 was elected to represent the Charleston District in Congress, in which he served for two terms. In 1829 he was appointed Minister to Russia, at which Court, he remained many years.

For the last 12 or 15 years he had made this place his summer residence, having purchased an estate, and residing here, for a considerable part of the year with his family.

We are under continued obligations to Mr. Diers, of the Massachusetts, and Mr. Dana, of the Rhode Island, for New York and Boston papers.

—We are requested to mention that there will be preaching at the North Baptist Church, to-morrow.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.—Col. Joseph Cilley has been elected by the Legislature, a Senator in Congress, for the unexpired term of Judge Woodbury.

VAN AMBURGH.—An Extra, purporting to come from the office of the Woonsocket Republican, and dated yesterday, relates a horrible story of the death of Van Amburgh, at Scituate, R. I., on Monday evening, having been killed in the act of taking a piece of meat from a Tigris. No one credits the story. It is a miserable hoax, probably got up in this city to create an excitement.

Boston Transcript, of Wednesday.

The farmers in this vicinity give us the gratifying assurance that the prospect of an abundant harvest never has been more flattering, at this season of the year. Vegetation generally has a fine appearance. Fruit of all kinds will be plentiful. The grass crop will be exceedingly large.—*Monmouth N. J. Inq.*

POSTSCRIPT
By this Morning's Mail.

THE OREGON TREATY CONFIRMED!

The Oregon Treaty was confirmed on Thursday afternoon by a vote of 41 to 14. The Senate was full—56 members being present; but Mr. Jarnagin declined to vote: the Legislature of Tennessee having instructed the Senators from that State to oppose any compromise.

WASHINGTON, June 18.
SENATE.—Mr. Houston of the Military Committee, reported a joint resolution, giving the thanks of Congress to General Taylor, and for other purposes. On motion of Mr. Breese, the bill to reduce and graduate the price of public lands, was taken up. Several amendments were adopted, which were ordered to be printed. The bill was postponed until to-morrow.

A resolution heretofore submitted by Mr. Allen for abolishing Executive Sessions, was considered, Mr. Allen made a few remarks, chiefly in reference to publications about the treaty before the Senate, and said the whole matter of secrecy was a sham.

The vote was then taken upon the resolution and was rejected: Ayes 13, noes 35. At one o'clock the Senate passed into Executive Session.

HOUSE.—A personal explanation of exciting character took place between Messrs. Stephens and Vancey. The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the Tariff bill.—Mr. Cobb in the Chair. The bill reported from the Committee of Ways and Means by Mr. Seaboard Jones, was opposed by Messrs. McLean and McVaine of Penn., and Mr. Young of Ky., obtained the floor, who gave way to a motion to take up the Invalid Pension Bill.

Mr. Mc Kay moved to strike out three thousand dollars providing for pay of pensioners to the wounded on board of private armed vessels. Opposed by Mr. King, of Massachusetts, and Mr. Holmes, of S. The Committee rose for want of a quorum. Personal explanation between Mr. Hilliard and Mr. Vancey. The House adjourned.

HERRING FERRY.—The Vinyard Gazette says there have been taken, this season, from the Mattaket Herring Creek, in Edgartown, 1597 barrels, or 958,200 herrings. The prices have varied from 35 cents to \$2 per hundred. A majority of them have brought upwards of 50 cents. Taking this as the average price, (which is a low estimate,) they amount to the sum of \$4,791. Allow one quarter of the above for labor and salt, and there is the handsome net amount of \$3,593 23 left to the owners.

Curious fish.—A large fish, sixteen or eighteen feet in length, and weighing probably some two or three tons, was towed into our harbor on Wednesday.—It was taken on the fishing ground, about eighty miles distant. It was of a blue color, and in some particulars resembled a shark, but had no teeth, and its venter appeared to be little else than hardened jelly. The fishermen who took it were unacquainted with the species, nor has any one here been able to give it a name. The skin has been taken off, and is to be tanned and stuffed.—*Portland Bulletin.*

Isaac Moody, a negro of 40 years, in Worcester jail for killing an Englishman named Butterworth in Charleston on Thursday night. The two men, with Moody's colored wife, were intoxicated, and in a field, when Butterworth attempted violence to the woman, and the negro fractured his skull frightfully. The next day he was arrested in a swamp. The statements of the woman are contradictory.

Major Gen. John C. Pasteur, of Newbern, (N. C.) died very suddenly on the 4th instant, of disease of the heart. He was engaged a few minutes previous to his death in drilling the Newbern volunteers for Texas.

ACCIDENT.—In Athol, on the 8th inst. on the line of the Vt. & Mass. Railroad, Mr. James Grady, a foreman on the Ledge, in the employ of Pratt, Hopkins and Co., was killed while in the act of firing a steam blast, which exploded prematurely. He was favorably known, and he left a large circle of friends to lament his loss.

Whipped.—A man was severely whipped at Waterloo, Point Coupee Parish, La., the other day, for endeavoring to incite insubordination among the slaves. After begging alms all day and treating himself liberally at a grocery, he commenced preaching to the negroes—telling them that they must strike for their liberty—that they would receive aid from the north, &c. He was arrested by order of Judge Lynch, and after receiving a sound cowhiding, was put across the Mississippi river.

Depreciation in the Price of Mineral. The St. Louis New Era of the 5th inst. says, "We are informed by a gentleman from the mining regions of Dubuque and Galena, that owing to the low price of lead, and the dull state of the market here and elsewhere, lead ore has gone down almost to nothing. It was offered when he left at seven dollars per thousand pounds, and could not be sold.—Three weeks since, at the same mines, it was selling for sixteen dollars per thousand."

GRAND MASONIC CELEBRATION OF THE ANNIVERSARY OF St John the Baptist, June 24, A. E. 5846.

The Grand Lodge of the State of Rhode Island, and all the Subordinate Lodges of this State, and such others from the neighboring States as may visit on the occasion, will meet on **WEDNESDAY MORNING,** the 24th inst, at 9 o'clock at St. Johns Lodge, No. 1, when after the necessary arrangements are made, a procession will be formed by the Grand Marshal of the State, and proceed with Dodworth's New York Band of music to the North Baptist Church, through the following streets from the Lodge:—Down Spring street to Cannon st., down Cannon and up Thames street. An Address will then be delivered by Rev. Brother Geo. M. RANDALL, of Boston. After the services are over, the Procession will be formed again on Fawcett street, and march down Marlborough st., down Thames to Young street, up Young and Bowery streets to the Ocean House, and there dismiss to dine.

It is particularly requested by the Fraternity that the streets through which the Procession will pass may be kept as clear of carriages, drays, &c., as may be convenient to the owners thereof, while the procession is passing.

The Galleries of the Meeting House will be opened at 10 o'clock.

T. STACY, JR.,
S. S. MUMFORD, } Committee.
W. STEVENS, JR. }

Brighton Market, Monday, June 15.
Reported for the Boston Daily Advertiser.

At Market, 400 B. Cattle, 19 pairs Working Oxen, 15 Cows, and Calves, 300 Sheep, and 1350 Swine. 47 Beef Cattle unsold.

Porks.—Best Cattle.—Last week's prices for like quality were hardly sustained. Better Cattle were at market. We quote the same: Extra 6 25; first quality \$6; second 5 75; third 4 75, a \$5 50.

Working Oxen.—Sales at \$70, \$85, and \$95.

Cows and Calves.—Sales at 70, 35, and 98.

Sheep.—Sales from \$2 to 2 75.

Swine.—Prices reduced.—Shoats to peddle 4 12 a 4 34 for Cows, and 5 14 a 5 34 for Barrows; small pigs 6c; Old Hogs, 4 12c. At retail from 3 to 7c.

Jayne's Alternative.

RHEUMATISM.—The Proprietor has not prescribed this preparation in a great many cases of Rheumatism, but in every case where it was used until the system became affected by the medicine, the disease was removed.

GOUT.—A number of cases of Gout have been cured by this Preparation. In one of these cases the man had been afflicted with it so severely for thirteen years, as to entirely disable him from business, and for five months immediately previous to his taking the Alternative, he had been confined to his room; but before he had finished the third bottle, he was enabled to walk about the streets, and soon after returned to his business from which he had been excluded by his afflictions.

DIARRHOEA AND SWELLING.—This medicine increases the powers of digestion, excites the absorbents to healthy exercise, by which watery and bilious depositions, and all unnatural enlargements are reduced. It imparts tone and vitality to the whole system, removing sick and morbid humors, giddiness, wandering mania, and nervous affections.

In fact, in every case where the medicine has been taken for some time, no matter for what purpose, the general health of the patient has always been improved by it.

In conclusion, the Proprietor would say that some of the most astonishing cases of Skin Diseases, Cancer, Bronchitis, and Scrofula, have been cured by this medicine, that have ever been recorded; but want of room in this sheet precludes their publication at this time.

Prepared only by Dr. D. Jayne, No. 8 South Third street, Philadelphia.

For sale in Newport, by Dr. R. R. Hazard.

MARRIED.

In this town, on Monday morning last, by the Rev. Mr. Brooks, Mr. William G. Peckham to Mary H., youngest daughter of Joseph T. Perry, Esq., all of this town.

In this town, on Tuesday evening last, at the residence of Nathaniel S. Ruggles, Esq. by the Rev. Mr. Watson, Cornelius Van Vleet, of New Jersey, to Miss Sophia Ruggles, only daughter of the late Mr. Edward Phillips, of this place.

DIED.

In this town, on the 29th ult. Elizabeth Stevens, youngest daughter of Mr. Simeon Hazard, aged 2 years, 4 months, 16 days.

On Wednesday evening last, after a long illness, Mrs. Charlotte Price, wife of Mr. John Price, and daughter of the late Mr. Benjamin Lake, aged 40 years. Funeral this afternoon from the House in Division street, at 2 o'clock which the relations and friends are requested to attend.

In Providence, June 1st, Susan B. Fillmore, in the 14th year of her age; 15th, Mr. Seth Butts, in the 71st year of his age; Mr. Nehemiah Davis, aged 47 years.

Marine List.

Port of Newport.

ARRIVED.
SUNDAY, June 14.

Brig Sterling, 2000, fm Providence for Richmond.

Schrs Derion, Nicholson, fm Providence for Boston; Franklin, Nicholson, fm Fall River for Bath.

Passed up—Brig Washington, Irons, fm Pictou for Providence; Ariel, fm do for do.

MONDAY, June 15.

Sloop Alice, Brightman, fm New York for Westport; Juno, Allen, fm Providence for N. York; Rhode Island, Hull, fm do for do.

TUESDAY, June 16.

Brig Autoloon, Ward, fm Providence for Cuba.

Sch'r St. Denys, Braman, fm Kingston for Providence; Admiral Blake, Headley, fm Providence for New Bedford.

Sch'r Superior, Lord, fm Ellsworth for N. York; Exchange, Kelly, fm Gardner for Providence; Sea Cow, Baker, fm Kenneboc for do; Sally, Sears, fm Gardner for do; Mary Crane, fm Camden for do; Elizabeth, Hamblin, fm Gardner for do; Jane Fish, Gardner, fm Providence for Calais; August, Hatch, fm Bangor for Dighton.

Sloops Capital, Hallet, fm Kingston; Sarah, Lincoln, fm Taunton for New York; Prince, Presby, fm New York for Fall River.

WEDNESDAY, June 17.

Brig Confidence, Bailey, 12 days from Cardenas.

Sch'r Jane, Long, fm Providence for New Bedford.

Sch'r Vandalia, Stout, fm Providence for Boston; Denmark, Rider, fm Portsmouth for New York.

Sloop Financier, Vencier, fm Cold Spring for New Bedford.

THURSDAY, June 18.

Sch'r Ohio, Franklin, fm Fall River for Chester.

Sloops Farmer, Drummell, fm Providence for Smithton; Editor, Smith, fm do for Brookhaven; Susan P. Cole, Whiston, fm do for Denia.

FRIDAY, June 19.

Brig Larkin, Sherburn, fm Philadelphia for Dighton; Delaware, Borden, fm do for Philadelphia.

Sch'r Pontiac, Phillips, fm Philadelphia for Providence; Gen. Lafayette, Chase, fm do for Sandwich; Altamaha, S. M. Johnson, fm do for Fall River; Holt, Paderson, fm do for Taunton; Eleanor, do for do for Providence; Vestula, Pendleton, fm Dighton for Camden.

Sloops Wm. H. Hawkins, Hawkins, fm Providence for New Bay; Wm. Penn, Sanford, fm New York for Dighton; Roscius, Presby, fm Taunton for New York.

Marine Memoranda.

Sch'r Warsaw, Burdick, arr at Matagorda, (Texas) May 25th, from New Orleans.

Sch'r Cabot, Northam, arr at Charleston 5th inst, from Providence.

Brig Gen. Cobb, Hammond, fm Balize, Lou. arr at New Orleans, 5th inst.

Brig Phoebe & Margaret, Pike, b'd at Philadelphia 13th for this port.

Brig Annawan, Swasey, sailed from Liverpool the 30th for Philadelphia.

At Valpara, 7th ult. Brig Hyder, Ali, Swasey, l'dg for Boston.

Weekly Almanac.

1846. **JUNE.**

20 Saturday, 4 25 7 32 3 14 47

21 Sunday, 4 25 7 32 3 44 5 33

22 Monday, 4 25 7 32 4 28 6 29

23 Tuesday, 4 25 7 32 5 12 7 20

24 Wednesday, 4 25 7 32 4 18 9

25 Thursday, 4 25 7 32 8 58 56

26 Friday, 4 25 7 32 9 28 42

New Moon 23d at 4h 4m evening.

DANCING SCHOOL,
At the Masonic Hall.

A. EDDY respectfully informs the public that, in compliance with the repeated requests of his friends, he has concluded to open a second class for instruction in Dancing in the latest and most approved style; and would request those ladies and gentlemen who propose joining the above class, to meet at the Masonic Hall.

The Ladies, Misses and Masters will meet on **TUESDAY** afternoon next, June 23d, at 3 o'clock. Gentlemen's class at 8 1/2 o'clock, precisely, of the same evening. The school will be held every Tuesday and Thursday afternoon and evening.

He will teach all the new and fashionable steps, figures, paltzes, quadrilles & La Polka. All who are not prepared to join the classes at the commencement, will be received the second week of the Term.

TERMS.—Six dollars for 24 lessons. A discount in price will be made to those who attended the last school. [June 20.]

Molasses.

400 HHDS Muscovada and good common Molasses, cargo of brig Confidence, now landing, and for sale, by **Geo. Engs.**

June 20.]

Daguerreotypes.

Wonderful Improvements in the Mystic Art.

MANCHESTER & BROTHER,

HAVING again returned to Newport, and opened rooms on the corner of Thames & Mary streets, (over J. H. Jovet's Store,) in building occupied by Dr. Boutelle,—are now prepared, after four years successful practice, to execute Miniatures in a style which cannot fail to please the most fastidious and critical servers. From a late discovery in chemical preparation peculiar to themselves, they are enabled to finish our miniature in manner giving beauty and durability unrivalled by any. Likenesses taken equally well in any weather, and warranted to customers in every respect, or no pay is required. Ladies and Gentlemen are respectfully invited to call and examine our specimens.

Plates, cases, apparatus, &c., furnished to operators; and instruction given in the Art. Newport, June 20, 1846.

NEWPORT BANK.

A SEMI ANNUAL Dividend will be paid at this Bank, on and after July 1st, 1846. **S. CAHOONE, Cashier.**

July 20.

Summer Cloths & Vestings.

JUST received at the Long Room, a lot of Summer Cloths, Vestings, &c., which are offered at the Lower Prices, by **J. M. HAMMETT.**

June 20.

WANTED.

A BOY of about 14 or 15 years of age can find a situation by applying soon. **WM. C. COZZENS, & CO.**

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

BY VIRTUE of authority from the Court of Probate of the town of Newport, will be sold at public Auction on **WEDNESDAY,** the 8th day of July next, at 11 o'clock, a. m. on the premises,

All the right, title and estate which William Barlow had at the time of his death in and to a lot of land and shop thereon, situated on the north side of the Long Wharf in Newport, and in and to a lot of land on Elm Street, corner of Third Street, on Easton's point in said Newport, or so much thereof as will be sufficient to raise the sum of two hundred and sixty seven dollars, 33 cents, with incidental expenses, to pay the debts of said William Barlow. Conditions at time and place of sale.

LEWIS BARLOW, Administrator.
Newport, June 6, 1846.

The above is ordered to be published for 4 successive weeks.

Executors' Sale of Real Estate.

BY VIRTUE of a license from the Probate Court in and for the County of Bristol, in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, will be sold at Public Auction, on **WEDNESDAY,** the 9th day of July next, at 2 o'clock, on the premises,

A divided fourth part of a lot of land, containing two acres, situated at the corner of Elm Street, in the town of Newport, State of Rhode Island, the property of Elisha L. Pratt, late of said town, dec., or so much thereof as will be sufficient to raise the sum of twenty-five dollars, with incidental expenses.

Conditions made known at the time and place of sale.

WILLIAM PRATT, HANNAH PRATT,
Executors of the last will & testament of Elisha L. Pratt, filed and recorded in R. I. Newport, June 6, 1846.

The above is directed to be published for 4 successive weeks.

Court of Probate, Middletown, June 15, 1846.

THE Executor's fifth account on the estate of **GEORGE IRISH,** late of Middletown, deceased, was presented for examination and allowance.

It is ordered, That the same be received, and the consideration thereof be referred to a court of Probate, to be holden at the Town House in Middletown, on the 31 Monday in July next, at 1 o'clock p. m. and that previous notice be given by publishing a copy of this Order for three successive weeks in the *Newport Mercury*, for all persons interested to appear at said time and place, and be heard.

A true Copy—witness **JOSHUA COGGESHALL,** Probate Clerk.

Ice Cream Saloon.

CORNER OF THAMES & FRANK STS.

STACY'S Ice Cream Saloon is now open for the accommodation of Visitors, where will be found Ice Creams & Ices, Jellys, Preserves, Fruit, Cake, &c., all of which will be served up in good shape, and at a reasonable price, and warranted equal to any in this or any other city.

Ice Cream made and sent to any part of the town in Pyramids or otherwise at 50 cts. per quart, and warranted to be made of pure Cream, or no sale. **T. STACY, JR.**
June 20.

Franklin Hall Replenished !! FRESH GROCERIES & PROVISIONS.



JUST RECEIVED by sloop Republic and Vigilant, from New York, a large assortment of Family Groceries and Provisions that will be sold **Cheap**. Among them are the following:—

65 lbs Western Flour,
12 packages French Toast,
10 bags Java, Rio, and Cuba Coffee,
12 boxes Ground do,
10 boxes White and Brown Havana Sugar,
4 kegs English Mustard,
6 hogheads St. Croix Molasses,
14 boxes No. 1 Herring,
20 drums Figs,
4 kegs pure Ginger,
10 lbs good Cider Vinegar,
50 bags Ground Salt,
14 boxes No. 1 Soap,
3000 lbs Hams,
2 casks Head Rice,
4 bundles Alcantar and Jute Do,
4 bbls Fulton Market Corned Beef,
6 bush London Split Peas,
15 boxes Raisins,
8 bbls Dried Apples,
8 bbls Leaf Lard,
4 bbls Pickles, small and large; also in glass jars,
6 doz Brooms,
4 casks Currants,
4 casks Cordials,
20 boxes Western Cheese,
12 boxes of those old English Cheese, a splendid article,
3 bbls White Beans,
Also, smoked and pickled Salmon,
Pickled Fish of different kinds, Wooden ware, Pails, Tubs, Baskets, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, and lots of other articles, too numerous to mention.
May 23.] **FRANK HAMMETT.**

S. DEBLOIS

HAS REMOVED his wood yard from Langley's wharf, (where he has kept for a number of years back,) to the commodious lot at the upper end of Prospect Hill street, and directly opposite his residence, where he will continue to keep an assortment of wood of the best quality and sell as low as can be purchased in town.—He solicits a continuance of his old customers and as many new ones as will favor him with their. The distance to his Wood Yard on the Hill will not be so far to walk as to the Wharf, and much pleasanter, and in a few weeks he will have a pleasant room to accommodate them with a seat. He will continue to keep Family Flour, of the most approved brands, and if not equal to the recommendation will be exchanged free of expense to the purchaser.

Also, Eastern Lime, by the barrel, Boards, &c., &c., as usual. He will endeavor to give satisfaction to purchasers. Those indebted to him will please call and settle their accounts.
Newport, May 2, 1846.*

OIL AND SOAP FACTORY,

Near the Brick Market.

THE subscriber has just completed his establishment for the manufacture of **Sperm & Whale Oil, Soap of various kinds, &c.** He has now on hand and for sale, at the lowest prices, first quality bleached and unbleached **SPERM & WHALE OIL**. Also—**CHEMICAL & COMPOSITION OIL**—all of which he warrants to give perfect satisfaction.—The public are respectfully invited to call, examine and test the articles he offers.
JOHN D. NORTHAM.
Newport, March 14, 1846.

R. P. LEE

OFFERS for sale at the old stand of R. P. LEE & Co., a recently replenished stock of

HARDWARE,

Consisting of a Complete Assortment.

—ALSO—

Charts
Blunt Coast Pilot,
Ship Master's Assistants,
Bowditch Navigators,
Log Books,
Log Paper,
Log Sheets,
Seamen's Journals,
Ship Scrapers,
Sail Needles,
Caulking Irons,
Half-inch Glasses,
Log Glasses,
Patent Sheaves,
For chain or rope.

Nautical Almanacs,
Compasses,
Quadrants,
Spy Glasses,
Scales,
Tide Gauges,
Barometers,
Doors,
Doors,
Doors,
all sizes & patterns.

MASTS & SPARS

At the Spar Yard, on Lee's Wharf.
Newport, April 4, 1846.

Summer Goods.

WM. C. COZZENS, & CO.

WILL open **THIS DAY**, and on Monday and Tuesday next, a very beautiful lot of Summer Goods, consisting of—

Berages, for dresses,
Elegant Silk Muslins,
Embossed and Spotted Swiss,
Gingham Lawns,
French Cambric Jackinets,
Rich Silks, Ribbons,
Gloves, in every variety.
And in fact a large and general assortment of desirable summer articles making their Stock very complete and well worthy the attention of purchasers, who will find on examination of prices that they are at least as low as can be bought under any circumstances.

Spring Trade Opening ! GREAT COMMOTION AMONG THE NEW GOODS. EXTRAORDINARY BARGAINS.

An Entire New Stock of
Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings,
EXPRESSLY FOR

Spring & Summer Wear.

And comprising a better assortment of seasonable Goods, than was ever before offered in the

RHODE ISLAND MARKET.

Is now ready for inspection and sale at the

'LONG ROOM,'
133 1-2 Thames St.

Attention the Whole !!

Hats & Caps,

the Spring of 1846.

THE subscriber is now ready to offer the standard fashion of (Swiss Crown,) Hats, also, Caps of every description. **CHEAPER** than any other Store in the place.

gentlemen in want of a beautiful article are respectfully invited to call.
N. B. A large lot of CAP COVERINGS.
J. M. HAMMETT.
Newport, April 11.

REMOVAL.

TIN and SHEET IRON WARE
Establishment.

THE subscribers have removed their establishment to No. 137 Thames Street, (directly opposite the store of Benj. Marsh, Jr.) where they will continue to manufacture every description of **Tin and Sheet Iron Ware**, which they will sell on as **REASONABLE TERMS** as can be purchased at any other Store in Newport.

They have on hand a lot of plain Japan and Britannia Ware, and they also intend keeping on hand an assortment of Sheet and Cast Iron

STOVES, Job Work,

OF EVERY KIND
in the above line of business, promptly attended to.

A share of public patronage is respectfully solicited.
COGGESHALL & BLISS.
Newport, Oct. 25, 1845.

Jayne's Expectorant.

Lewis C. Levin Esq., the distinguished advocate of Temperance, stated at a meeting of upwards of three thousand persons, that he should not have been able to address them, but for the use of "Jayne's Expectorant." He said that he had been laboring under a hoarseness and severe oppression of the chest, that he had purchased some of the Expectorant the day before, which had relieved him in a few hours, and he found himself, contrary to his own expectation, able to address the multitude.

The Proprietor could add hundreds of other names equally respectable, who recommend JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT as superior to all other medicines for the cure of all the various Pulmonary diseases.

Prepared only by Dr. D. JAYNE, No. 8 South Third Street, Philadelphia, where all his other valuable preparations may be obtained. JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT.—We extend it a pleasure to be able to recommend this medicine as the best calculated for the purpose of curing coughs, colds, sore throat, asthma, and all affections of the lungs. From a long personal acquaintance with Dr. J. we know that he is no quack, and his medicines are not nostrums of the modern cry up, but are the result of his long experience as a practising physician, and the expense of great labor.
Hartford, Conn. Daily Review.
For sale in Newport, by Dr. R. R. Hazard.

Jayne's Vermifuge

Has gladdened the heart of many a mother, who had expected soon to follow her child to the grave, but found it restored to life and rosy health by this celebrated specific. It expels worms without irritating the coats of the stomach and bowels, and combines the virtues of a tonic, with those of an alterative. Neither the Vermifuge nor the Expectorant is a rival in the whole range of the materia medica, for diseases to which each is adapted. Prepared only by Dr. D. JAYNE, No. 8 South Third Street, Philadelphia.

money is always returned, if JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT does not produce the most desirable benefit in Croup, Sore Throat, Griping Pains, Diarrhoea, and all derangements of the stomach and bowels. For sale at No. 8 South Third Street, Philadelphia.

IT NEVER FAILS—The American Hair Dye never fails, when used as directed, to change the hair from any other, to a beautiful auburn or jet black. Sold at No. 8 South Third St., Philadelphia.

FILES—Half the cases of Files are caused by the irritation of small worms, JAYNE'S VERMIFUGE cures all such cases by removing the worms, and imparting a healthy tone to the bowels. For sale at No. 8 South Third Street, Philadelphia.

ASTHMA, OR BRONCHITIS is caused by a lodgment of the phlegm or mucus in the air cells, which obstructs the passage of the air through the wind tubes. Jayne's Expectorant removes the obstruction with the greatest facility, and cures the disease at once. It is prepared at No. 8 South Third Street, Philadelphia.

For sale in Newport, by Dr. R. R. Hazard.

WHITWELL'S

Temperance Bitters,
At 25 cents per bottle, at
Jan. 3.] **R. J. TAYLOR'S.**

Guardian's Notice.

THE Subscriber having been appointed Guardian to
JOSEPH H. GIFFORD.
of Portsmouth, a minor, and having taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds as the law directs: he requests all persons interested to take due notice and govern themselves accordingly.
SETH R. ANTHONY, Guardian.
Portsmouth, May 11, 1846.

Court of Probate, Newport, June 1, 1846.

UPON the petition of Joseph Child, agent for some of the heirs at law of Elizabeth N. Banister, late of Newport, widow deceased, praying this Court to order a distribution of the intestate estate of Elizabeth N. Banister, in the hands of the Executor of said Elizabeth N. Banister, to and among the heirs at law of said deceased.

The same is read and received and referred for consideration to a Court of Probate to be held at the Town Hall in Newport, the 1st Monday in July next at 9 o'clock a. m., and it is further ordered that notice of the pending and prayer of said petition be given by publishing said notice for three consecutive weeks in the *Newport Mercury*, that all persons interested in said estate may appear at said time and place and show cause if any, why an order of distribution of said intestate estate should not be made at said time and place.

A true copy, att. st.
B. B. HOWLAND, Probate Clerk.

Court of Probate, Newport, June 1, 1846.

THOMAS BUSH, Guardian of Thomas B. GIFFORD, of Newport, a minor, presents his Guardianship account for allowance. The same is received and referred for consideration to a Court of Probate to be held at the Town Hall in Newport on the first Monday in July next, at 9 o'clock a. m. It is ordered that notice be given thereof for three successive weeks in the *Newport Mercury*, that all persons interested may appear at said time and place and be heard.
B. B. HOWLAND, Probate Clerk.

Administrator's Notice.

THE subscribers hereby give notice that they have been duly appointed Administrators on the estate of
THOMAS FOWLER.

late of Newport, Merchant, dec., and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bonds as law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are requested to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to make immediate payment to
HARRIET FOWLER, Adm'r.
ROBERT R. CARR, Adm'r.
Newport, May 4, 1846.

COAL.

THE best quality of **RED ASH** and **LEHIGH COAL**, constantly on hand and for sale, at as low a rate, for cash, as can be bought in Newport, by the subscriber, on the Perry Factory wharf.
NICHOLAS GIFFORD.

Naukin Cape Shawl
Cashmere Shawls,
Black Grograin Shawls,
Will be opened **THIS DAY**,
E. W. LAWTON, & SON.
April 25.

Important Notice.

KIDDER'S

Valuable HORSE Liniment,

WARRANTED to be one of the most valuable articles ever offered to the public for sprains, windgalls, spavins, stiffness of the joints, strains and callouses of long standing, also for swellings, fresh wounds, galls, &c., &c. This truly valuable Liniment has been extensively used for the last 20 years, and in no instance has it failed to give satisfaction to the purchaser; it is cheaper than any other article, as it requires but a small quantity to complete a cure.

Also will answer equally as well for Neat or Horn cattle. Prepared only by the Inventor and Proprietor,
JAMES KIDDER.

East Boston, also for sale by R. R. Hazard
Newport, R.I. [Dec. 7 1845.]

Deafness can be Cured.



COOPER'S ETHERAL OIL—A prompt and lasting remedy for **DEAFNESS**, also for pains and discharge of matter from the Ears.

Hundreds of cures in cases deemed utterly hopeless have firmly established its superiority over every former Medical discovery. This valuable Acoustic Medicine is a compound of four different Oils, one of which, the active and principal ingredient, is obtained from the bark of a certain species of Walnut, a new and effectual agent in the cure of deafness.

Persons afflicted with deafness, no matter of how long standing, (if not born so,) who have tried every other remedy in vain—are requested to call upon the Agents and procure a printed sheet containing Certificates and other evidences of its efficacy, which is hoped will induce every person afflicted with Deafness to make a trial of this truly valuable medicine. For sale in Newport by
R. J. TAYLOR, Sole Agent.
March 23.

For Sale or To Let
and possession given immediately.

THE estate in Portsmouth, near Mitchell's Mill lately occupied by Samuel Heath, deceased, consisting of a new two story Dwelling House with a Wheelwright Shop and about 11 acres of land adjoining the same. For further particulars and terms apply to
JAMES CHASE.
Portsmouth, Feb. 21, 1846.*

Fresh Havana Oranges,
JUST received and for sale by
T. STACY Jr.,

LIME.

FIRST quality Dexter Joint & Harris Joint Lime, for Whitewashing. For sale by
CHARLES DEVENS.
April 4.]

To Let for the Season,
WITH THE FURNITURE,

THAT beautiful and pleasant situated House, Garden &c. situated on the Hill in Newport, (the past season occupied by his excellency the *Chevalier Calderon de la Barca*.) a few rods in the rear of South Touro street, and is about in the centre of the elegant new Hotels. The House is in excellent order, with a large balcony on the top, and commands a very extensive view of the Ocean, Rivers, Forts and adjacent country in every direction.—It cannot be surpassed if equalled for a Summer residence by any on the Island, and cannot fail to please any Family who may make their residence in Newport. For terms &c. apply to
ABRAHAM BROWN,
on the premises.
Newport, March 28, 1846.

TO LET,

The Chambers of the subscriber's House now occupied by Mr. Wm. A. Barber.

Likewise two or three other tenements. For further information apply to
GILBERT CHASE.
Newport, March 21, 1846.

A first rate Farm for Sale.

THAT well known and beautiful situated Farm, containing about fifty acres of highly cultivated land, and known by the name of the *George Armstrong Farm*, is now offered for sale.

This farm is on the margin of the sea, with valuable privileges of building stone, sand, gravel and sea manure. It lies at the bottom of Narragansett street, and is constantly increasing in value. For further particulars, apply to
JOSIAH C. SHAW.
Newport, May 24, 1845.—t.

TO LET,

The elegant Mansion of W. B. Lawrence, Esq., situated one mile from the State House, with the Furniture, is offered to rent for the approaching season. For particulars enquire of
J. C. SHAW.
Newport May 16.—t.

Carriage for Sale.

THE subscriber has for sale an English Carriage, in perfect order, which would be disposed of on very reasonable terms, on application to
JOHN D. NORTHAM.
Newport, May 16.

If you have not time to peruse this at present, preserve it for a leisure moment—it is of importance. In again presenting to the Public the

Dandelion and Tomato Panacea

THE Proprietor would not claim for it that it is a specific for ALL the diseases to which the human frame is subject; but does claim that in all complaints where a purifier of the blood is required that this Panacea is infallible, and its powers are admitted by all who have used it, and it has the sanction of our first Physicians.

He would ask for it only, that meet of attention to which the public may deem it entitled—and would prefer that its beneficial results be its sole recommendation, and the relief and health which must accrue to the diseased and suffering from its use should proclaim its virtues.

For any of the following complaints, the Dandelion and Tomato Panacea, is the best remedy that has yet been offered, and no article has given such universal satisfaction for Headache, Dizziness, Sleeplessness, Loss of Appetite, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Erysipelas, Salt Rheum, Jaundice, Scrofula, Scurfy, and all cutaneous eruptions of the skin, Chronic Diseases, Rheumatism, General Debility, or any complaint that has its origin in IMPURITIES OF THE BLOOD.

This Panacea is composed as all must be aware who know anything of the *Dandelion Tomato and Sarsaparilla*, its principal ingredients, form the most innocent as well as the most effectual remedies to be found in the vegetable kingdom; and who does not know that for all those diseases, in which a complete and radical change in the composition of the Blood, in the secretions of the Liver, and in the formation of the solid parts of the body, are regarded there are no remedies, that will for a moment compare with them.

That it is purely a vegetable composition, the public may rest assured; but should any prove skeptical, I can show them the vouchers of eminent Physicians to that effect, who have examined the formula, and, have tested its virtues.

CAUTION.

The purchaser will be careful to see that my name is **SIGNED** on the wrapper of each bottle, as there are worthless articles put up in smaller bottles, pretended to produce the same result, but are not safe to use. Be sure therefore and enquire for *Ransom & Stevens' Dandelion and Tomato Panacea*, which may be obtained of my duly appointed Agents, and by all respectable Druggists, and appointed agents in town and country, and also by
JAMES KIDDER, Jr., Proprietor,
Druggist and Chemist, Maverick Square, March 14. East Boston.

For sale in Newport, by Dr. R. R. Hazard
R. J. Taylor, and C. G. Hazard.

Assignee's Notice.

GIDEON PALMER, Jun., of the town and county of Newport, Tanner, having this day made an assignment of all his property and effects, to the subscribers, for the benefit of his creditors,—all those indebted to the said Gideon Palmer, Jr., are requested to make immediate payment, and those having demands, to present them to
WM. H. CRANSTON, } Assignees.
BENJ. G. PALMER, }
Newport, April 23, 1846.

PURIFY THE BLOOD, The best MEDICINE Extant.

THE *INDIAN VEGETABLE & SARSAPARILLA BITTERS*, for the cure of Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Costiveness, Heart-Burn, Biliousness and Liver Complaints, Indigestion, Impurities of the Blood, and general Debility of the system.

These inestimable Bitters were first introduced to the public about two years since, and so signal has been their success, and so highly are they recommended by all who have used them, that the proprietor is induced to offer them to a generous and enlightened public on a more extended scale, and at a price which renders them in the power of all to possess.

Sarsaparilla has long been known as a most efficient purifier of the blood. In these bitters its virtues extracted on the most scientific principles in a highly concentrated form, is combined with the most useful Roots and Herbs of the Vegetable Kingdom, in such a manner that acting upon the Stomach and Bowels, they produce a thorough cleansing of the system, whereby it is speedily restored to its wonted tone and vigor.

They may be taken with perfect safety at all times and in all climates. Try them, and if not satisfied the money will be refunded. To the proprietors, the inside label of each bottle is signed by the sole proprietor.

W. W. VIN, No. 76 Union street,
Newport, by R. J. Taylor, E. P. Freeman, & Co., and by Agents in the different towns in Rhode Island.
B. F. DUSTIN, Travelling Agent.
Dec. 13, 1845.

WEYBOSSET HOUSE. NO. 60 WEYBOSSET STREET. PROVIDENCE, R. I.

THE subscriber, (formerly of the Washington Hotel) has opened the above new and elegant establishment for a Public House, at the corner of Centre and Weybosset streets, and fitted it up in the most modern style for the accommodation of the public. The House is centrally situated, being in the business part of the city, nearly opposite the Arcade. The House contains 70 rooms, many of which are Parlors, with sleeping rooms attached, for the accommodation of families. Every attention will be paid to those who patronize the establishment, and nothing left undone for their accommodation. The subscriber flatters himself that he can accommodate his friends and the public with as good fare, and on as reasonable terms as any house in the city.

For the liberal patronage heretofore extended to him, he returns his thanks, and trusts, by unremitting attention to his business, he will continue to receive a liberal share of the public support in future.

N. B. Good stables are attached to the house.
HEZEKIAH ALLEN, Jr.,
Providence, March 7, 1846.—6m.

Marine and Fire Insurance.

THE American Insurance Company, Providence, R. I., continue to insure against **LOSS OR DAMAGE BY FIRE**, on Cotton, Woolen, and other Manufactures, Buildings, and Merchandise, and also against **MARINE RISKS** on favorable terms. The capital stock,

\$150,000

ALL PAID IN, AND WELL INVESTED.

Directors elected June 3d, 1844.

William Rhodes, Wilbur Kelly, Robert R. Stafford, Amos D. Smith, Resolved Waterman, Shubael Hutchins, Ebenezer Kelly, Tully D. Bowen, Nathaniel Bishop, George S. Rathbone, Caleb Harris, Jabez Bullock, and Walker Humphrey.

Persons wishing for Insurance, are requested to direct their applications, (which should be accompanied with a particular description of the property,) per mail, to the President or Secretary of the Company, and the same will meet with prompt attention.

Applications for Insurance may be made in Newport to **GEORGE BOWEN, Agent.**

WILBER KELLY, President.

ALLEN O. PECK, Secretary.

American Insurance Co.'s }

Office, Feb. 7, 1846. }

The Mutual Benefit

Life Insurance Company.

THE subscriber having been appointed Agent for the above Company, in this town and vicinity, is now prepared to receive applications from those who may wish to effect Insurance on their lives, receive Annuities or Endowments.

For particulars as to rates, premiums, &c. apply to **JOHN D. NORTHAM, Agent**
C. CORRON, M. D. Medical Examiner.

N. B. This Company promises advantages for Life Insurance, which are offered by no similar Institution in this country, and is now doing a very successful business, having issued since the 1st of May, 1841, Policies, the premium on which amount to \$100,995, 25 cts.
Newport, March 26, 1846.

Received This Day,

AT THE CHEAP CASH SHOE STORE,

No. 95 Thames St.

Corner of Market Square, Newport,

A LARGE assortment of Ladies light bronze and black Gaiter Boots, cheap for Cash. Also, 100 pair of Ladies Black Gaiter Boots, as low as 75 cents per pair.

GEORGE H. NORMAN, & CO.
April 25.

Dissolution of Co-partnership.

THE connection in business heretofore existing between the subscribers, under the firm of

R. P. LEE & CO.,

was this day by mutual consent dissolved.

All persons having demands will please present them for settlement, and all those indebted will please make immediate payment to either of us, who are equally authorized to use the name of the late firm in liquidation. The Hardware and Spar business will be continued by **R. P. LEE**, on his own account at the old stand.

ROBERT P. LEE,
ADAM S. COE.
Newport, March 31, 1846.

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